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"VOICE OF THE GLADES"

On City, County and State Levels

State Rd. 80 Construction Hits More Snags

Canal Hazards Safety Committee Chairman Franklin Jones said Wednesday the project of four-laning SR80 could be set back four to five months because of several new delays.

The roadblocks to the project were being thrown up in several areas. Jones reported to the committee, and he said one of the delays could cost more than a year and several million dollars to the section between Hooker Highway and US98 at 20 Mile Bend.

The most pressing delays are being caused by the county turning out of funds to purchase right of way and by the need to re-locate utility lines owned by the city of Belle Glade from South Bay to Airport Road.

The utilities question was supposedly resolved during a June 20 city commission work shop session when the city's engineers, Briley-Wild and Associates, were directed to meet with the DOT as soon as possible to coordinate the removal of the lines.

Briley-Wild engineers A. J. Birchall, according to Jones, finally met with DOT officials in Fort Lauderdale Friday and offered a proposal for the city

and the DOT to work together, letting the road contractor handle the utility line problem.

"Birchall said he would have plans for the removal of the lines in about 90 days," Jones said, "but that will probably mean a delay of about four to five months."

Belle Glade Mayor Aubrey Farmer said later he was unaware of what was discussed at the meeting but said the plan reported by Jones was not what the city commission had in mind.

"That can't be right," Farmer said. "The city's going to take care of the lines and we'll probably do it with city forces."

Farmer said the commissioners, among themselves, figured the removal of the utilities could be accomplished for \$125,000, "and we figured that was padding it," as compared to the \$425,000 estimate made by Birchall.

He pointed out, however, Birchall told the commission he was figuring on using all new lines, valves and pumps and didn't take into consideration the money the city would receive for salvaging some of the line.

"I'll guarantee you one thing, though," Farmer told Jones Wednesday. "The City of Belle Glade isn't going to hold up the four-laning of State Road 80."

Another roadblock Jones reported was the fact Palm Beach County has run out of funds to purchase right of way, but he said he thinks that problem may be taken care of.

He said he has talked to County Commissioner E.W. "Bud" Weaver about the funds and Weaver told him the county may be able to borrow funds from another part of the county budget and pay those funds back when planned bond issue is floated.

The last major delay Jones reported was that the DOT is considering changing its plans to build the relocated section of SR80 from Hooker Highway to US98 at 20 Mile Bend.

Current plans call for 100 feet of right of way on either side of the center section line which would also be the center line of the highway.

The change would mean moving the right of way entirely to one side of the center section line, to compensate for canals along the route, and to allow for a 300-400 foot right of way instead of the currently

planned 200 feet.

Jones said he is planning now to set up a meeting between members of the Canal Hazards Safety Committee and DOT officials for sometime in September to argue against the change of plans.

"Changing the route," he said, "would mean a year's delay to give the DOT a chance to re-design the roadway and it would throw out all the agreements we've been able to come up with to have the right of way donated by as many property owners as possible."

"We're going to point out three things," he said. "First is the fact striking the old plan would save county taxpayers between \$2 million and \$2.5 million in right of way costs."

He pointed out that since most of the property lines follow the center section line, moving the right of way to one side would mean shifting the entire burden to one landowner instead of two, and that one would be giving up 300 to 400 feet of land instead of 100.

"Number two," Jones said, "going ahead with the present idea of dredging borrow from existing canals would improve the drainage in the area, and that means another savings to the taxpayers."

City Takes Over Airport From DOT for \$1 a Year

After hanging fire for almost a month, the city commission ratified Monday night the takeover of the Belle Glade Airport.

Chamber Nominates White

Bob White, manager of Belle Glade's Southern Bell office, was nominated Tuesday night for next year's President of the Board of the Chamber of Commerce.

White was nominated by the board's nominating committee along with Roy Burch of Royal as first vice president; Louis Kirkman, owner of Fr-Eddy's as second vice president and Curtis Thompson as treasurer.

The board also nominated 11 possible candidates to fill four board positions to be varied later this year. Those nominated were Dale Stapp, Mary Orsingo, Wayne Mikel, Gene Jackson, Charles Ward, Gene Gardner, Tom Ruffolo, Earl Meredith, Ed Davis, Bob Pease and Mike Shiver.

A secret ballot will be sent to all Chamber members during the month of August. They will be asked to vote for four of the 11 to take over as new directors.

The Chamber board also voted to change the frequency of its meetings. Until now it had always met the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. In the future it will meet once a month on the second Tuesday. The board will have the right to change this designated day, however, if it sees fit.

If any immediate business comes up between meetings the executive committee will have the power to act. However all actions will come before the board at its next regular meeting for review and final approval.

Chamber President Ben Clarke reported he had been advised to have the Chamber's entire charter revamped and refiled. He said the board's attorney, John Baker, had felt it necessary to take this action.

"Our charter was filed back in 1958," said Clarke. "And it was filed by with the county. Since then, in 1967 or 1968 I believe, all charters have been filed with the state."

John feels it would be best for us to completely revise the charter and then file it with the state rather than having it filed where it is in the county.

White and Mrs. Dolly Hand were appointed to the committee to revamp the charter.

Dr. John Grady, as city vice mayor, signed the agreement on June 27 in which Belle Glade will lease the grass landing strip from the State Department of Transportation for one dollar a year.

The agreement was signed by Grady because the DOT had a deadline of July 1 (lacking it, DOT advisors said, the agreement was incomplete without a resolution passed by the commission as a whole).

City Attorney John Baker had drawn up the resolution to be passed and signed on July 8, the city's next scheduled meeting following the signing but that meeting was called off because three commissioners weren't available to form a quorum.

The meeting Monday night was the first in six weeks the commission could get a quorum.

Commissioner Bill Bailey asked Baker if the city shouldn't include in the annex the airport, in the agreement resolution but Baker said a move was unnecessary.

Bailey asked Baker if the city could control the construction of building permits on the airport and exercise police powers without annexing it into the city.

Baker said there would be no problem since the city was leasing the property. He said the city could establish police control there the same way it controlled the municipal marina before annexing it.

In another move, the commission, almost as an afterthought, gave city department heads four times the money on making on-the-spot purchases.

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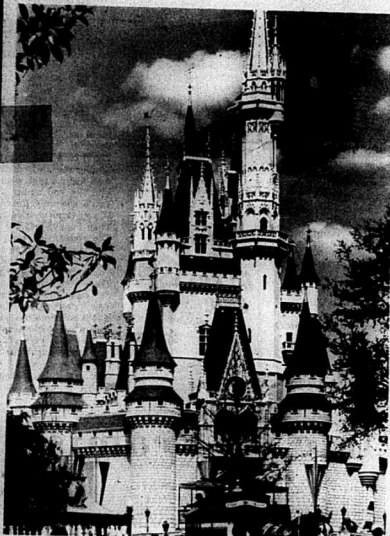
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Last Week to Win Disney Trip



Two winners were chosen once again as the last week of the Herald's Walt Disney World Contest unfolded.

At bottom, left, Mrs. Joan Anderson of 1424 N.W. Ave. B is presented a stringart craft kit by Mrs. Sharon Grooms of this city.

That while at bottom, right, 13-year-old Mike Stevens of 122 S.E. Seventh St. North, is presented a cutters set by Don Dexter of Glades Gas.

All entries will be picked up no later than 10 a.m. Monday and the contest's second prize winner will be announced in the Aug. 1 issue of the Belle Glade Herald.

The grand prize winner will be awarded a trip to Walt Disney World valued at more than \$100, staying at the Royal Inn at Buena Vista and will be treated to such attractions as Cinderella's Castle, seen at left.



Books Open Until 5 p.m. Saturday Voter Registration Closes

With three days left for potential voters to register to cast their ballots in the Belle Glade City election and the general election first primary on Sept. 10, registration drives were moving into high gear.

Registration books are already closed for the South Bay election on Sept. 3, and, following a purge of the rolls, a total of 777 voters are qualified to take the annual trip to the polling place at city hall.

In an effort to give potential voters a last chance to register, a Belle Glade City organization and Palm Beach County Supervisor of Elections Jackie Winchester's office will be registering voters right up to the 5 p.m. Saturday deadline.

Mrs. Winchester, who is herself running for re-election to her post, said Glades area

residents can register right up to the deadline at the Glades County Office Building. She said the staff there will be working all day Saturday to give potential voters that last chance.

In the meantime, Eugene Harrison said his group of 3 workers have been working all week to register voters for the upcoming elections and will continue to work in various spots throughout the city until 5 p.m. Saturday.

Harrison said that although he is running for the city commission seat vacated by incumbent Belle Glade City Commissioner John Grady, he has been so busy registering voters he's had no time yet to get him campaign off the ground.

"We've registered about 900 people," Harrison said Wednesday, "but I couldn't say

how many of those are Belle Glade voters. We've been registering anybody in the county who wants to register."

He was referring to the fact that, for the first time, in the upcoming elections, the voter registration rolls are being handled by Miss Winchester's office and registration isn't being done at all at the hall annex.

The schedule for Harrison's group of workers, especially deputized to register voters, for today and Friday is to man tables at several places from 6 to 8 p.m.

The locations are Avenue B Place and Fifth Street, 616 Southwest Avenue B Place, the Swap Shop at Sixth Street and Avenue B and Houston's Wash House at Avenue A and Sixth Street.

Harrison said the workers will also be manning tables

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Costly Carelessness

We don't usually go overboard observing some particular day, week or month but today marks the beginning of a week of special significance to the Glades area.

While National Pickle Week would probably leave most people not employed by Heinz 57 cold, National Farm Safety Week should arouse at least a flicker of interest in any agriculturally oriented community.

President Nixon has proclaimed July 25-31 as a week to stress safety on the farm and it's notable farm accidents claimed the lives of approximately 6,000 farm and ranch residents across the United States last year.

More than one of those lives were lost during accidents right here in the Glades, including a Jamaican sugar cane cutter killed in one of two accidents involved in hauling the workers to the field.

So farm safety isn't something people in the Glades can think about once a year and say it's nice but doesn't affect me.

It's something we live every day of the year...or should.

Across the nation, work-related accidents, including farm fires, about put a dent in the farmer's pocketbook to the tune of \$2.75 billion (that's right, billion, not million).

That's money we people in the Glades can ill afford to squander our share of.

Think about it and good safety practices make sense.

A Whole New Ballgame

A man we know keeps a copy of last week's Herald around and readily available to show to everyone who walks through his front door.

"Look at this," he greets each visitor, "there's your future in Belle Glade."

Our man is talking about the new 40-acre site for Palm Beach Junior College on State Rd. 715. He couldn't be more accurate.

It's a whole new ball game in Belle Glade. The impact from this college will be felt long after there is nothing but rock left in the Glades.

Businessmen locally can't really comprehend the effect this college will have. In a nationally bleak economy Belle Glade is going to stand tall above all the others. And it will basically be because of the junior college.

It is a mushrooming effect, really. The college will bring in many more people. These people will require more services. Service businesses will spring up which will in turn hire more people and so on down the road.

We can't be too enthusiastic about the new junior college.

As we said, it's a whole new ballgame.

Now, if we could only get the building moratorium lifted.

A Time to Promise and a Time to Spend

It's that time of the year again, kiddies.

Papa's gonna buy you a bright new bubble to play with. He's gonna take care of you to the point you'll think you're back in the womb.

It's election time again and the politicians are awarming.

We had three state-wide campaigns in our office during one afternoon last week, although I'll have to admit John Grady wasn't campaigning.

John was in on some other business but Ed Fenn, a candidate for the state Commissioner of education job, now being held by Ralph Turlington, was in, as well as Neal Justin.

Couple of coincidences among the campaigners too. All three of them were doctors. Course, John is a doctor of medicine and both the other men have doctorate degrees in one thing or another.

Both Fenn and Justin had some kind of connection with the Glades too. Fenn said he was in Belle Glade several years ago as a staff member of the state department of education to start an adult migrant education program.

Justin, a professor at Florida Atlantic University, said he taught Carol Grady, John's wife, in one of his classes and said she talked about campaigning for him before John made his decision to run for the U.S. Senate, the seat Justin's looking for too.

Like Grady, Justin's major task in the campaign appears to be to make

the people of the state recognize him. He's been involved in politics once before but he's never made a big splash on the statewide scene and most people just don't know who he is.

So the Boca Raton doctor has been stumping the state in a camper. He said last week he was just returning from a six week jaunt.

One pleasant surprise about the professor, I had heard the name but had never really heard anything about how he feels about the issues and I was to up here," he told me and another person in the office as he made a slashing motion across his throat.

"The average wage owner works three months to pay his federal taxes."

Some of his stands include stopping tax loopholes, favoritism, padded contracts and waste, developing new sources of power, political reform such as the Sunshine Law on a federal level and welfare reform (We don't need more welfare. We need more jobs).

He comes across pretty strong, too, as an advocate of "clarity begins at home" with the comment, "Let's use foreign aid funds to solve our own needs."



Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir:

I request you to publish my letter: The Energy Crisis.

Many informed persons realize that most members of the Democratic-controlled Congress are derelict of their duties. They are responsible for creating the energy crisis by neglecting their legislative obligations, and they do nothing to pass bills dealing with the supply of energy.

While they fail to pass most of the bills of meaningful legislation, they usurp the executive functions of the United States Government. Therefore, many citizens have only confidence in President Nixon and his successful work. Now they realize they need Nixon more than ever.

Sincerely,

Dr. Alexander V. Berke

Dear Sir:

Please publish this for all the people who are getting into more than they could possibly handle.

FROM SOMEONE WHO HAS BEEN THERE AND RETURNED TO THE BEAUTIFUL SIDE OF THE WORLD.

TAKE ME INTO YOUR ARMS

So little man, you've grown tired of grass LSD, coke, and hash.

And someone pretending to be your friend said "I'll introduce you to Miss Heroin" Well honey, before you start fooling with me just let me inform you how it will be.

For I will seduce you and make you my slave I've sent men much stronger than you to their graves!

You think you can never become a disgrace And end up addicted to poppy seed waste.

So you'll start inhaling me one afternoon..... You'll take me into your arms very soon.

And once I entered deep down into your veins, The craving will nearly drive you insane.

You'll need lots of money, as you have been told. For I am much more expensive than gold.

You'll swindle your mother and just for a buck, You'll turn into something vile and corrupt.

You'll mug and steal for my narcotic charm, And feel content when I melt in your arms.

The day you realize the monster you've grown, The jangling nerves screaming just for one shot.

The hot chili, the cold sweat, the withdrawal pains, Can only be stopped by my white little grains.

There's no other way, there's no need to look, For deep down inside, you know you are hooked.

You'll desperately run to your pusher and then, You'll welcome me back into your arms once again.

And when you return, just as I foretold, I know that you will give me your body and soul.

You'll give up your morals, your conscience, your heart.

And you'll be with me "UNTIL DEATH DO US PART"

WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS WEEKEND?

There are many interesting and challenging jobs for women to do over a weekend at the Army Reserve.

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Then, with no one working, and everyone having all the money they wanted, it'd be worth even less than it is now.

We could all starve together. Maybe that could be the slogan for a bright new political era: "The New Hunger." Come to think of it, that's what we already got.

And I'm still working (Now, just listen to that smart alec sayin' "Yeah, but give any man a year's experience in the newspaper business and he ain't worth a damn for honest work.")

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But knowing the history of the gov't, I wouldn't make book on it.

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I mean, everyone thinks cities, counties and states can spend as much as they want on anything but it isn't true. Local governments have to operate within budgets, and sometimes those budgets are pretty tight.

But the federal government is the only body I know of, public or private, which can go on spending as much as it wants, regardless of how much money it's taking in through taxes and what not.

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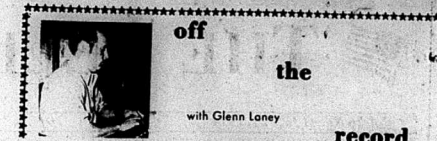
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with Glenn Laney

off the record

It's great to be back. Yeah, yeh, I know "have you been gone" is the question I receive in return most often.

Eighteen days in Washington D.C. is enough to make anybody a little crazy. And if you don't believe me, just check the D.C. phone book.

You'll find a listing for the National Association of Schizophrenics. Simply stated a schizophrenic is one who has lost touch with his environment almost completely.

As one psychiatrist put it, if you find a man who tends to be autistic he may be building castles in the air. The schizophrenic, on the other hand, is living in them.

What better place than Washington D.C. for such an organization. I can't believe they don't go over to "The Hill" to recruit many of their members.

"The Hill," of course, refers to where the Senators and Representatives hang out while Congress is in session. That is, of course, unless they're running for even higher office in which case they're running all over the world to places such as Viet Nam and the Middle East.

There appears to remain at least one sane member of the House left, and that is our own Paul Rogers, who at this writing has received no opposition for another two year term in Washington.

Bob Benedict, executive director of the Palm Beach Rehabilitation Center and myself had lunch with Rogers in the Capitol while I was in Washington. We were up there to see about building funds for a permanent home in the Glades for the center's local branch.

Rogers carries a lot of clout of respect and trust—not only from the people of his district who have sent him back to D.C. for almost the past 20 years, but from his fellow Congressmen.

Right now Rogers is somewhere

in a familiar face is packing it in

in Belle Glade. Doug Clarke, who arrived on the scene just a few weeks before I did in the pre-crisis days of 1972 is headed for Alabama—some long on his knee. It wouldn't fit in his vet anyway.

Doug has managed the local Sears store during that time and taken it from a whole in the wall on Ave. A to its present modern site in the Glades Shopping Plaza.

Doug has been hard and long to try and organize the merchants in town. But he saw his best efforts fail, both downtown and at the Plaza.

Perhaps he was a bit ahead of his time. But he gave it a good try. It's a shame to see him leave.

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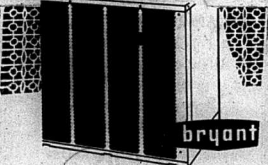
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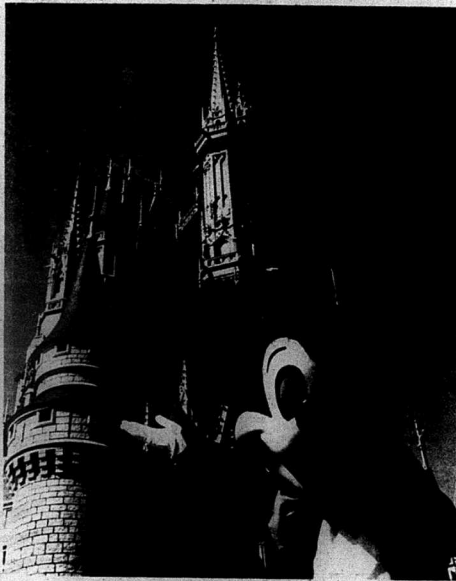
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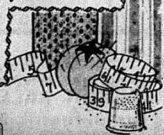


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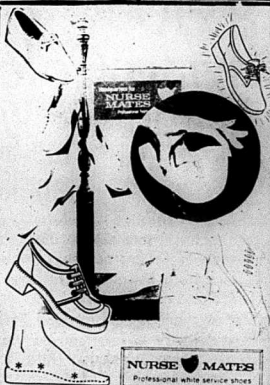


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Farm Safety Week Proclaimed

CHICAGO-President Richard M. Nixon has proclaimed that July 25-31, 1974 shall be dedicated to the observance of National Farm Safety Week. This marks the 31st consecutive year in which this annual national safety activity co-sponsored by the National Safety Council (NSC) and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has been observed.

Farm Safety Week was initiated during World War II to attack accident losses that were impairing crucial agricultural production. Thus, the two-fold purpose of Farm Safety Week is to call attention to major accident problems that drain human and economic resources in agricultural production, and to suggest preventive measures which can be applied to reduce these losses.

Accidents claimed the lives of about 6,000 farm and ranch residents last year. Approximately half of these were victims of motor-vehicle mishaps. Another one-fourth were accounted for in agricultural work deaths. About 500,000 farm residents suffered disabling injuries last year.

The cost of these accidents, including farm fires, totaled \$2.75 billion in 1973 losses that farm and ranch people can ill-afford.

About one-fourth of all week-related injuries reported in a recent NSC ten-state farm accident survey were attributed to falls. Work falls often

occur in the use of farm equipment - especially tractors, wagons, and combines. But not all falls are work-related.

Many additional falls occur right around the house and yard - on ladders, down stairs, on slippery surfaces, and over hidden obstacles.

Consequently, NSC and USDA are emphasizing prevention of farm falls in this year's observance to help reduce farm deaths and injuries. And agricultural communicators, farm and rural

youth organizations, rural safety leaders, agribusiness extension, and other community leaders are being asked to cooperate in this year's effort to reduce farm falls.

The National Safety Council, based in Chicago, is a nongovernmental, nonprofit public service organization dedicated to safety education and the development and implementation of accident prevention programs reaching every segment of American life.

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Hey Kids!
Follow the Reader

"Dr. Seuss" and his friends, the Lorax, the Sneetches, and the Cat in the Hat, "joined" the Follow the Reader children's group on Tuesday, July 23. Mrs. Lallio, library director, shared the funny story of the sneaky Sneetches with the children, and helped "Dr. Seuss" introduce the film about the Cat in the Hat. The six-week Follow the Reader summer reading club or children will officially end today. At 2 p.m. the members of the club and their parents will see the puppet show, The Blueberry Elf, followed by the presentation of the reading

achievement certificates for each girl and boy in a special ceremony. (See photos and story in next week's Belle Glade Herald.) The library is open Monday, noon - 8:00 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Wednesday-Friday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. during the summer months. This is your community library, use it!

It's bog killing time down on the farm. It's several families getting together to raise a hog cabin in a day. It's corn shuckings, faith healings and home remedies.

It's Foxtrot. The Belle Glade Municipal Library began a new feature in June - the display of the week and this week, it's "The Foxtrot Book, Foxtrot II, and other books dealing in 'plain living'.

The Foxtrot Book was born in 1967 at Babers Gap, Ga. when a young high school teacher and his students dedicated themselves to rescuing a vanishing heritage - the culture of the mountain people of Appalachia.

Loaded down with tape recorders, they listened to the stories of the hills of northern Georgia and the people who populated them. Foxtrot was the result.

The two Foxtrot books and similar books will make up the weekly display at the library this week through July 31.

Some subject of special interest will be on display each Thursday through the following Wednesday. A book stand next to the display table will contain books on the featured area for public circulation.

Insurance Corner
By Milton Carpenter
Invisible Menace - Doors
The newest menace on the home accident scene is the sliding glass door - the kind that stretches from floor to ceiling and usually opens to the backyard or patio. Last year over 150,000 people were injured when they walked into doors they thought were open. Report after report tells of lost eyes, cut tendons, disfigured faces and severed arteries...all from flying glass. One of the problems here is that a great majority of the glass in these doors is flimsy - often, not much stronger than ordinary window pane. But there are some solutions recommended by the National Safety Council. Decorate your glass door with a decal or sandblasted-type design to alert people the door is closed. A foolproof precaution, however, is to install a door made of shatterproof safety glass which doesn't cost too much more than ordinary glass. But whatever the cost difference, it's worth it.
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Grants' Winner
Stacey Bohannon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bohannon of Clewiston, was a runner-up in the Little Miss Clewiston contest held in Clewiston earlier this month. Stacey was sponsored by W.T. Grant in Belle Glade. Shown in the picture with Stacey is Grants manager Carl Scott, admiring her bouquet and trophy.

Funeral Services Held
Funeral services for Floyd Daniel Peacock, owner of Floyd's Fish Market, at 2 p.m. today at the Church of God on Barfield Highway in Pahokee with the Rev. Sheldon Upchurch officiating. Peacock lived at 517 N.W. 18th St. in Belle Glade. He had been a Glades resident since 1929, having moved here from Lake Wales with his family when he was only a few days old. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict. Survivors include his widow, Sally, of Belle Glade; one son, Eddie, of Belle Glade; four daughters, Mrs. Linda Conwell and Mrs. Carol Brown, both of Tallahassee, Miss Minnie Idella Peacock and Miss Sally Marvella Peacock, both of Belle Glade; his mother, Mrs. Millie Padden and step-father, Perry Padden, both of Pahokee; six brothers, Bobby of Belle Glade, Johnny, Harold and Wayne, all of Pahokee, Alton, of Jackson, Ala., Roy of Gainesville; one sister, Mrs. Joyce Humphries of Orlando. Burial will be held in Evergreen Cemetery in Okeechobee. Weatherington Funeral Home of Pahokee will be in charge of arrangements.

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Miss Sellers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Sellers of Oklawaha, will each receive a \$2,000 award.

Sandy, who plans to follow a career as a home economist, has been an active member of 4-H for eight years. She has already been accepted by Auburn University in Auburn, Alabama, and since sewing is her favorite phase of home economics, hopes to eventually earn a master's degree in clothing.

Ralph, a past Florida Chamber of Commerce Star Pupil, was an outstanding student at Chipley High School. In addition to being president of both his junior and his senior classes and serving as a student representative to the Washington County School Board Policy Revision Committee, he was named a member of Who's Who Among American High School Students, Outstanding Teenagers of America, and the Society of Outstanding American High School Students.

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This year, and March in particular, was a big one for Mrs. Adams. She said that's when she was graduated from the University of Florida and married to Omar J. Adams.

Robert West

Assigned to Germany

Army Private Robert L. West, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otha West, 708 S.W. Ave. E. in Belle Glade is assigned to the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment in Germany.

He is an Armament Specialist in air group of the Regiment in Pöhl, G.

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Donald Migliore

Is Branch Coordinator

Donald Migliore has joined the Palm Beach County Chapter, American Red Cross, as branch coordinator.

In making the announcement, Chapter Chairman G.E. (Ed) Dail noted that Migliore will work closely with volunteers at South County and Glades branch offices.

Migliore came to the Palm Beaches from Pittsburgh where he had been active as a "Big Brother," a program to help boys without fathers, and as a volunteer fireman.

A former claims adjuster, he is a graduate of the Robert Morris College in Pittsburgh where he received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration. He was born at Martins Ferry, Ohio, and attended high school at Cadiz.

Former Resident Dies

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today for Mrs. Dorothy L. Fessenden, a former Belle Glade resident, in Leesburg, her home for the past two years.

Mrs. Fessenden was a native of Alabama and when she lived in Belle Glade, was a member of the First Baptist Church, a member of the Lady Elks Club.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins of Belle Glade; her husband, Floyd Fessenden of Leesburg; sons, Ricky and Dennis, both of Leesburg.

Fessenden of Leesburg; brothers, J.P. and Junior Collins of Belle Glade; James Collins of Gainesville; sisters, Mrs. Jack Hollingsworth, Mrs. Douglas

Lockhart, Mrs. Charles Wilson, all of Belle Glade.

Funeral services are being held at Page-Teus Funeral Home in Leesburg with the Rev. Francis Luce officiating.

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Bowles Completes Training

While working in the Middle, Georgia area Peach Industry this season, Robert F. Bowles (right) of Belle Glade, Florida completed training for his Private Pilot License. Examiner Jim Brown (left) is shown making the presentation. Mr. Bowles aircraft is in the background.

Residents Get First Crack

Glades area residents will apparently get first crack at challenging new tax assessments against their property this week as the Palm Beach County Board of Tax Adjustment meets.

Hai Porter, who heads up County Assessor Dave Reid's office in the Glades, said the board began hearing protests concerning homestead exemption Monday and other protests on Wednesday, today and Friday.

Meanwhile, earlier this week, Porter said his office was fielding the complaints by residents of the area who felt their homes and other real property had been incorrectly assessed.

"We're checking each individual claim to see if we can find any errors in the assessments," Porter said. "We haven't had that many complaints but any time you have as many parcels as we do out here, there are bound to be a few mistakes."

He said that throughout the county, there were fewer

than 1,000 protests. He said any claim the assessor's office is unable to satisfy goes before the board of adjustment.

The board is made up of three Palm Beach County Commissioners and two school board members.

Porter said all claimants should receive a notice in the mail before they are to appear before the board.

LOCAL NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids for the furnishing of an Electronic Computing Accounting Machine will be received by the City of Belle Glade, Palm Beach County, Florida, at the office of the City Manager, until 11:00 a.m. Thursday, August 8, 1974, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read.

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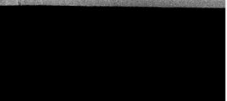
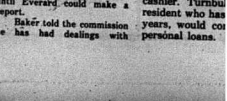
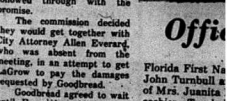
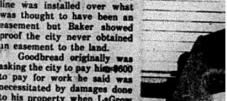
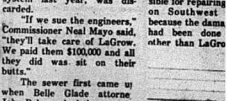
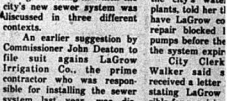
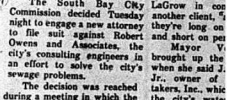
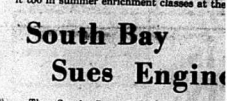
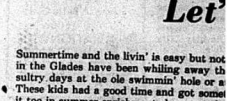
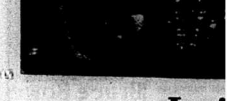


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News From The Home Front

The Belle Glade Herald, July 26, 1974, 1B



James to Head Scout Roundup

Dr. Norman I. James of Pahokee will head up the 1974 Governor's Roundup for Scouting as Glades District Roundup chairman for the Gulf Stream Council, Boy Scouts of America.

The announcement was made this week by Walter E. Vaughn, chairman of the Glades District Committee.

Dr. James, the father of three boys, two of whom are Scouts, is location and research leader of the Canal Point Sugarcane Station for the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

As roundup chairman, he will direct the recruiting program for new Scouts and Cub Scouts in the Glades area. The roundup will be highlighted Sept. 24 by School Night for Scouting.

School Night is an event to be conducted by Scouting in selected schools in all seven districts of the Gulf Stream Council the same night to give all boys who want to be Scouts an opportunity to join, according to Earl Hartman, district scout executive.

Serving as community chairman for School Night for Scouting are Vance Denton of Pahokee, William Mallory of Belle Glade and Arthur King of Clewiston.

Denton, a long-time Scouter in the Glades area, is guidance counselor at Pahokee High School. Mallory, chairman of Troop 601, St. John Episcopal Church, is city manager of Belle Glade. King, a recipient of Scouting's Silver Beaver award, and the Clewiston Jaycee's Citizen of the Year for 1974, is an active Scouter with the First Baptist Church of Clewiston.

The Governor's Roundup for Scouting is being endorsed throughout Florida by Gov. Rubin Askew, with special recognition from his office for boys and leaders who bring new boys into Scouting.

The roundup will be kicked off in the Glades with two meetings for all Scouting's adult volunteer leaders in the area. One will be August 13 in Clewiston at 7:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church. The other is August 15 in Belle Glade at 7:30 p.m. at St. John Episcopal Church.

Let's Hear it for Arts 'N' Crafts!

Summertime and the livin' is easy but not all the kids in the Glades have been whiling away these hot and sultry days at the old swimmin' hole or at the beach. These kids had a good time and got something out of it too in summer enrichment classes at the West Area

Exceptional Child Education Center at Gove Elementary School. They're showing off some of the things they've made in the arts and crafts segment of the program, in which an average of 80 to 90 students have been taking part daily.

Instructor Mrs. Earlyne Harrell said the class includes children in grades 1-8 and students in the exceptional education program. She said she feels the program at the center has been "highly successful" this year. The program will end this week.

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4 Are Ag Frosh

A bit of the Glades has been transplanted to Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College in Tifton, Ga. in the form of four freshmen enrolling there.

Among the freshmen who are enrolled in the fall quarter getting their first taste of college life to three orientation sessions are Craig Pace of Belle Glade, Mike Brown of Pahokee, Lamar Hooks of Canal Point and Wayne Davidson of Clewiston.

The orientation session is set up to operate for three

Balmer Given Pay

The South Bay Civil Service Board voted unanimously Monday night to recommend the city commission award former water and sewer plant operator Ed Balmer two weeks severance pay.

The board supported the commission's firing of Balmer, which took place in a stormy commission session in which Balmer called City Commissioner Neal Mayo a liar.

In comparison with that commission session, in which Balmer argued with Mayo, Mayor Verrita Cox, Commissioner John Denton, City Clerk

Grants Help College-Bound

A number of people who didn't have enough funds are now attending Palm Beach Junior College and other educational institutions because of BEOG (Basic Educational Opportunity Grant).

And, according to Freddie Harrell, guidance counselor at the PB/Clewis Center, the amount allotted at the junior college for eligible students has now almost doubled from \$452 to \$888 per term.

Eligible students who started (or will start) college after April 1, 1973 may receive grants from the federal government for education and training after high school.

If a family's adjusted gross income (as found on line 15 of IRS Form 1040, or line 12 of IRS Form 1040A) falls roughly between \$10,000 and \$11,000, chances are good for BEOG help.

One PB/C student, however, received a grant for one term of \$200 although her family's adjusted gross income was almost \$13,000. The size of the

family, as well as other factors, enter in the figuring of eligibility.

BEOG may be used for eligible programs at approved public and private colleges, universities, junior or community colleges, vocational schools, technical schools, and hospital schools of nursing, Harrell said.

Any person wishing to find out if he qualifies for BEOG must first obtain a 1974-75 BEOG application form, which can be picked up at the Glades center in Belle Glade or the National Guard Armory, other colleges

or universities, high schools, public libraries or by writing to BEOG, P.O. Box 84, Washington, D. C. 20044.

Local Girl Syria-Bound

President Richard Nixon's Mideast tour in June has resulted in unexpected dividends for a Belle Glade girl, who will visit Damascus, Syria as a result of a chief executive's trip.

Kathleen Murphy, the daughter of Mrs. M.A. Murphy Jr. of 1101 N.E. First St., will be among 155 Florida State University musicians to perform at the 1974 Damascus International Trade Fair Aug. 11-25.

The FSU Marching Chiefs, Symphonic Ensemble and Jazz Lab Ensemble, according to a U.S. State Department announcement, were selected as a result of a request for a U.S. cultural presentation at the fair.

The request was made during President Nixon's June visit to Syria according to the State Department.

The hands will perform daily during the final 10 days of the fair. The Marching Chiefs will perform in the 25,000-seat Damascus football stadium while the Symphonic Ensemble and the Jazz Lab Ensemble will play in such locales as the fair theatre, the ancient Roman amphitheatre at Bours and the historic Azem Palace in the old quarter of Damascus.

The hands will be transported to and from Syria by the U.S. Air Force, while the Syria government will provide food and lodging in Damascus.

Members of the Marching Chiefs and Symphonic Ensemble will begin rehearsals in Tallahassee Aug. 1.

The 25-member Jazz Lab Ensemble is currently on a concert tour of the Peoples Republic of Poland, is scheduled to return to Tallahassee to join the rehearsals Aug. 2. Miss Murphy is a member of the Marching Chiefs.



New Manager

W.E. "Ed" Price was recently named as the new manager of the McQuay's five and dime store at Glades Plaza. Price said he was born in Bartow and has worked with the chain since he was graduated from high school in Imperial Palk County.

Officer Named

Florida First National Bank at Belle Glade President John Turnbull announced this week the appointment of Mrs. Junita Dracwell to the position of assistant cashier. Turnbull said Mrs. Dracwell, a Pahokee resident who has worked for the bank for the past 18 years, would continue taking care of consumer and personal loans.



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FLORIDA BANKS

Florida Banks Get New Identification

Florida National Banks of Florida, Inc. the \$1.5 billion bank holding company which includes Florida First National Bank at Belle Glade, has a new corporate identification mark. The new mark, called a logotype, is in white lettering on a blue field and reads simply, "Florida Bank."

John Turnbull, president of the local bank, said he has just received a memo on the new logotype from Cecil West and Associates, the banking group's advertising agency. The identifying marks are generally used by corporations in advertisements, in newspapers, billboards and other media as a method of quickly relating with the public.

Although the banks had been known as the "Florida National Bank" for many years, not all of the banks in the group were National banks. Some were state chartered. "Florida National Bank" and "Florida Bank" Those are two names but some of these banks were the first banks in their communities. "Florida First National Bank" and "Florida First Bank." Now there were four names. Throw in a few "Trust Co." appendages and some other variations and here were seven categories of names within the system. All the member banks had, however, two names in common, "Florida" and "Bank," so this was chosen as the name for the logotype.

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The program began June 17 with 276 children participating and the students have been engaged in basketball, volleyball, bingo games, card games, table tennis, checkers and many more games.

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por Ruben Radillo



Gloria Espallargas

Tranquemos a nuestra pagina hoyana a esta linda novia, quien contrajo matrimonio el pasado dia 20 de julio con el joven Francisco Rodriguez. Ambos jovenes son hijos de dos familias bien conocidas y bien apreciadas de nuestra sociedad cubana en Belle Glade. Gloria es hija de los esposos Aleydo y Gladys Espallargas, y Francisco es hijo de los esposos Francisco y Silvia Rodriguez.

La ceremonia en la cual unieron sus vidas y consagraron su matrimonio delante de Dios de sus familiares fue oficiada por el Rev. Padre Paul Saghy Parroco de la Iglesia Saint Philip Benizi, donde se celebró dicha ceremonia.

Precediendo a la novia, venian las damas Beatriz Lage, Dory Altman, y Patricia Fernandez, siendo la Dama de Honor la senorita Maria Espallargas, hermana de la novia. La corte infantil estuvo compuesta por Gloria Maria Fernandez y Carlos Rodriguez. Los 'ushers' fueron: Pablo Rodriguez y Enrique Rionda, y

Despedida de Soltera



Una simpatica despedida de soltera se llevo a cabo en dias pasados, donde la senorita Magda Nodal disfruto de un rato de companismo y alegria con sus amigas y familiares.

Las organizadoras de esta ocasion fueron las senoritas Nancy Ruiz, Arellys Morales y la senora Lidia Praga. Un buen grupo de las amigas de Magda estuvieron con ella para hacer de esta despedida de soltera una ocasion inolvidable en su vida. En este grupo estaban, Barbara Benitez, Surtia Morales, Patricia Bueno, Maria Montoya, Esther Baez, Lidia Baez, Maria Garcia, Maria Machado, Juanita Machado, Julia Ramos, Belma Ramos, Maria Gonzalez, Silvia Jimenez, Aurora Marfil, Mayra Chento, Anidia Morales, y la mama de la festejada, senora Migdalia Nodal.

Una boda en agosto planea esta joven, y para la cual enviaron a ella y a su prometido unas tempranas felicitaciones y nuestro deseo que por largos anos puedan disfrutar de la dicha y la paz de un hogar. Felicitades.

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EL DOCTOR GRADY

Nos ha visitado el doctor John L. Grady, un politico que ha sido reelegido en tres ocasiones como alcalde de Belle Glade, Florida, un millitante anticomunista definido que ha sido nominado candidato a senador de los Estados Unidos por el American Party (Partido Americano), para las elecciones de noviembre de 1974.

Hablando con el senor Grady nos manifestamos que el comunismo es una conspiracion internacional, malvada, diabólica, que busca dominar todos los paises y que su posicion no es otra que la de luchar contra esas tiranias.

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Con respecto al caso de Cuba nos dice el doctor Grady: Yo estoy contra el comunismo, no solo en el caso especifico de Cuba, estoy en todas las latitudes. Yo creo que la mayoria de las naciones esclavas se desprenderian de sus gobernantes comunistas si los Estados Unidos dejasen de apoyarlos. Como ejemplo objetivo, hemos impedido a los cubanos destrerrados el actuar por liberar su patria. Yo me declaro un entusiasta por la libertad de todos los pueblos en todas las partes. Yo deberiamos comenzar a 90 millas de las costas de la Florida haciendo pasar a Cuba.

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Aunque en estos días, semana tras semana, se celebran una fecha de homenaje para conmemorar un aniversario más de que un "adivino cubano, vendiera nuestra libertad", en esta ocasión, el gobierno soviético, a través de la radio, nos recuerda que damos a nuestra historia el valor que a esta nación le ha hecho escribir con sangre y palabras liberada la cual lleva en su seno el alma de todo el pueblo de este mundo. El nombre de no se aplaza, pero el alma de ningún opresor, sino de poder expresarse y de poder vencer una tierra que considere

Hoy en este espacio de nuestra página en la cual hemos estado por varias semanas las vidas de las mujeres que han luchado por alcanzar esta libertad, traemos a un luchador de esta causa, a un forjador los pensamientos de los grandes luchadores de la causa cubana.

Esta biografía tomado del libro. Símbolos. Fechas y biografías, escrito por el Dr. Rolando Arriaga, será la última por un tiempo que publicaremos en este espacio.

Don Jose de la Saz y Caballero, el gran maestro y filosofo, forma con Felix Varela y Jose Antonio Saco, el gran trio de hombres que se empeñan a pensar a los cubanos, y que les indican el camino de la libertad, indicándoles a luchar por conquistarla. Son pues, Varela, Saco y Luz Caballero, los tres grandes forjadores de la conciencia nacional cubana.

confiscación nacional cubana. Los dos hermanos, José de la Luz y Caballero, a quien se le conocía como el maestro "Don Pepe", y su hermano menor, Manuel, eran llamados el maestro "Don Pepe", nombre con el cual también se le conoce, nació el 18 de mayo del fin 11 de julio de 1900. Sus padres pertenecían a una de las más destacadas familias de La Habana, de una magnífica posición económica, y poseían una casa en el barrio de Santa Fe, en el centro de la ciudad, muy próxima al puerto habanero, donde se crió. José de la Luz, nombre que se le puso en honor de tan

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El proximo lunes día 29 de junio este grupo ofrecera un concierto de musica cristiana moderna en el Civic Center. Estamos invitando a la juventud de Belle Glade a que se una con nosotros para estas actividades. El martes 23, miercoles 24 y jueves 25, los programas seran en el Jameson Hall de la Community United Methodist Church a las 7:30 p.m. El domingo dia 28

estos jóvenes ofrecerán un concierto en nuestra Iglesia también a las 7:30 p.m. y el lunes 29 a las 8:00 p.m. el concierto será en el Civic Center, la entrada es completamente gratis.

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Lisa Giese Honored With Baby Shower

The home of Mrs. Sue Miller was the setting for a baby shower in honor of Mrs. Lisa Guise on June 27.

The guest of honor, her mother and mother-in-law were presented corsages of green, pink and blue baby bottles.

The table was decorated in the traditional stork theme with colors of pink, blue and green. The guests were served with refreshments of petit fours, nuts, mints and punch.

Those who received many lovely and useful gifts including the hostesses were, a high chair.

The hostesses for the event were, Mrs. Lynnette Barger, Mrs. Patty Ballard, Mrs. Sue Miller, Mrs. Lucia Mackey, Mrs. Vickie McMullen and Mrs. Arlene Brooker.

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Miss Moena Kathryn Johns became the bride of William Gerald Edwards in a double ring ceremony June 7 at the Church of God of Belle Glade, with the Rev. Roy C. Miller presiding.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.I. Johns of Mohr's Trailer Park in Belle Glade. The groom is the son of William Edwards of Belle Glade and Mrs. William Edwards of Missouri.

Organist Helen Miller and soloist Pat Johns played and sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "True Love" as the special music for the service.

John B. Mills Jr. of Pahokee was the best man during the ceremony and Gwen Mills was the matron of honor.

Bridesmaids were Linda Parsons, sister of the bride, and Gay Glisson. William Edwards, father of the groom, and Leon Kelsoe were the groomsmen.

The bride wore the traditional gown of chantilly lace over tulle with seed pearl trim, a high neck, fitted waist, long sleeves and tiers of lace from

She wore a long matching veil trimmed with chantilly lace and carried white and lavender carnations on a white

He is now employed with South Bay Growers, Inc. Out of town visitors included Mrs. June Guy of LaBelle, Mrs. Lora Mze Gurtzman and

Final Plans Told

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Connell announced this week final plans for the wedding of their daughter, Marsha, to Jesse

The wedding will take place at 3:30 p.m. Sunday at the Christian Missionary Alliance Church in Belle Glade.

Both the bride and groom are residents of Belle Glade. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony.

In Prussia, cows taken out for the first time in the spring were made to step over an ax to make them invulnerable to witchcraft and magic.

daughter, Sherry, of LaBelle
and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grear
and daughter from Witchalua,
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Sherry and Lora DuFree, nieces of the bride, were the flower girls. They wore lavender Batiste dress over net floor length with matching veil. The ringbearer was Kenneth Johns, nephew of the bride. He was dressed in a black suit pants with a white coat.



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